

23496 to 23518.

From Yokohama, Japan. Presented by the Yokohama Nursery Company.
Received August 14, 1908.

The following seeds from the Jingpoo Chrysanthemum Garden, Japanese names quoted:

23496 to 23502. CHRYSANTHEMUM STIPULACEUM (Moench) W. F. Wight.

23496. "Shiro-mame." **23501.** "Murasaki-no-kuruimono."

23497. "Kangiku." Purple.

23498. Best pink. **23502.** "Oritaki-shiba."

23499. "Kyo-miyage." Purple.

Pink.

23500. "Nure-garasu."

Pink.

23503. ASTER sp. (?)

Purple.

23504 to 23518. CHRYSANTHEMUM STIPULACEUM (Moench) W. F. Wight.

23504. "Hano-no-seki." **23512.** "Matsu-no-yuki."

Purple. White.

23505. "Shukokin." **23513.** "Gano-no-yuki."

Red. White.

23506. "Uji-no-sato." **23514.** "Hakuhoshu."

Red. White.

23507. "Bushi-no-kagami." **23515.** "Jitsugetsu."

Red. White and purple mixed.

23508. "Date-musume." **23516.** Yellow.

Red. **23517.** "Kin-kujiyaku."

23509. "Okino-kaza." Yellow.

White. **23518.** "Azami."

23510. "Fuki-no-yama." Yellow.

White.

23511. "Okina-no-tomo."

White.

23519 and 23520. GARCINIA spp.

From Buitenzorg, Java. Presented by Dr. M. Treub. Received September 4, 1908.

23519. GARCINIA BENTHAMII Pierre.

"This species is very widely distributed in all the provinces of lower Cochin China and Cambodge.

"Branches opposite, tetragonal, very long. Leaves petiolate. The flowers are terminal at the summit of a short shoot more or less surrounded with bracts. They are solitary in the female plant. The petals are broader and thicker than the sepals and are yellowish. In the female flowers the stamens are completely lacking and the gynaecium has the form of a pear. The fruit retains the form of the pistil. It contains 5 to 10 seeds having the form of a crescent.

"The tree is 20 to 25 meters high, of pyramidal form. Trunk straight, 45 to 50 centimeters thick, covered with a blackish bark, rough exteriorly, filled interiorly with a white juice, present in all parts of the plant and becoming black on exposure to light.